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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants	:	Barany et al.) Examiner:) Joseph W. Ricigliano
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For	:	DETECTION OF NUCLEIC ACID SEQUENCE DIFFERENCES USING THE LIGASE DETECTION REACTION WITH ADDRESSABLE ARRAYS))))

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment (13 pages) in the above-identified application. Also enclosed are:

- [X] A Request for Three-Month Extension of Time.
- [X] Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- [X] A self-addressed, prepaid postcard for acknowledging receipt.
- [X] The fee has been calculated as shown below:

a) SMALL ENTITYb) LARGE ENTITY

(Col. 1) (Col. 2) (Col. 3) **CLAIMS** HIGHEST NO. **PRESENT RATE** ADD'L REMAINING **PREVIOUSLY AFTER EXTRA FEE** PAID FOR **AMENDMENT TOTAL** 147 **MINUS** 147 x = (a)0 b) \$22 **INDEP MINUS** x = (a) \$41 = (a)0 b) \$82 | | FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM \$475.00 see fee [X] Extension of Time Fee (Three Months) schedule **TOTAL** \$475.00

- [X] A check for \$475.00 is enclosed to cover the above fees.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-1138.

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